

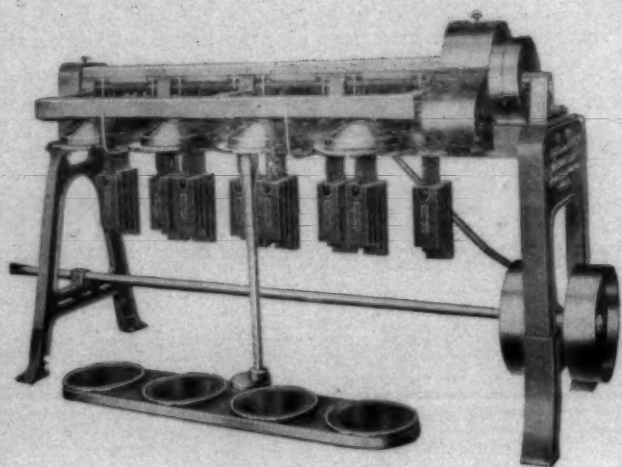
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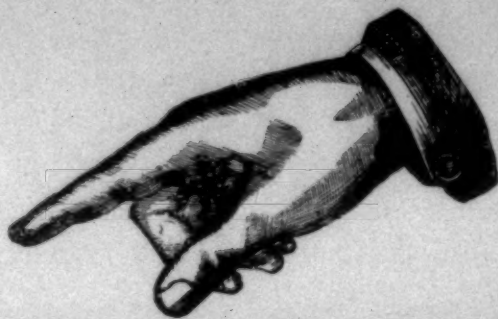
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## HEARING IN PARKER MILLS CASE

The hearing of the Parker Cotton mill case on the rule to show cause why the sale of the Hampton group of mills should not be enjoined was begun Tuesday morning before Circuit Judge T. J. Maudlin in Greenville. The petitioners were William H. Rose of Columbia, Richard D. Lee of Sumter and Alex E. King of Columbia, representing the minority stockholders, who secured from Justice R. C. Watts of the South Carolina supreme court a rule to show cause why the sale should not be enjoined.

The rule, returnable before Judge Maudlin today, was directed against the Parker Cotton Mills company, the Hampton Cotton Mills company, M. C. Branch, president of the Parker Company; W. E. Beattie, treasurer of the Parker company and president and treasurer of the Hampton Company; Thomas F. Parker, J. H. Dooley, F. J. Pelzer, Jr., E. P. Frost, M. L. Merchant, Thomas Motley, W. J. Thackston, secretary of the Parker corporation; Herbert Lindsay, secretary of the Hampton; T. R. Waring, Willie Jones, W. H. Lyles, August Kohn, A. McI Griffin, W. P. Hamrick and T. K. Elliott. All the defendants are directors of the Parker company or the Hampton company.

In the complaint the petitioners allege that the sale, authorized at the stockholders' meeting of the Parker corporation May 11, is decidedly injurious to the holders of the common and preferred stock of the company, as distinguished from the guaranteed stock, inasmuch as the total value of the plants involved in the sale is declared to be in excess of \$7,000,000, while the sale figure is fixed at \$2,550,000, plus the value of stock in process to the date of transfer.

The petitioners further allege that the properties, comprising the Olympia, Granby, Richland and Capital City mills in Columbia, the Fairfield at Winnsboro, the Wylie at Chester, the Pine Creek at Camden, the Beaver Dam at Edgefield and the cotton seed oil mill at Edgefield, were offered to only one concern, Lockwood, Greene & Co., to whom the sale was authorized at the meeting May 11.

It is further set forth in the complaint that by the use of proxies of shareholders not informed of the true financial condition of the company, the sale was effected without regard to the interests of the stockholders. The complaints declare

that the arguments of the defendants, that the sale, even at a sacrifice, was necessary to secure the financial rehabilitation of the company, are fallacious, in that the properties of the Hampton company earned during the first three months of 1916 profits in excess of \$100,000 a month, and that the existing debt of the Parker company standing at about \$3,200,000 after payment on June 1 of \$625,000 from the proceeds of insurance policies on the life of the late Lewis W. Parker and the profits from the operations of the Hampton mills, can be liquidated from the ordinary earnings of the properties under efficient management within three years.

The petition also asserts that owing to the increase in the price of cotton mill machinery, the replacement value of the mills involved in the sale has risen to above \$7,000,000, whereas the proposed purchase price is less than \$3,000,000.

The return of the defendants defends the position that the sale of the Hampton cotton mills group would be for the best interests of the corporations and stockholders involved, M. C. Branch and W. E. Beattie, president and treasurer, respectively, of the Parker cotton mills company. The return and affidavits allege that the Hampton group of mills have never been operated profitably; that the Hampton group owes about \$2,869,000, the Victor Manufacturing Company about \$1,688,000, the Monaghan mills about \$1,365,000; that practically all this indebtedness falls due July 1 and in the opinion of defendants, an extension cannot be secured; that unless the Hampton group is sold, there will be no funds with which to extinguish this debt; that the price offered for the Hampton group is reasonable, in the opinion of the defendants and many prominent disinterested leading mill and business men; that the vote of the directors and stockholders of both the Hampton Cotton Mills company and the Parker Cotton Mills company was overwhelmingly in favor of the sale; that, since the meeting, persons holding large blocks of stock not represented at the meeting have expressed their approval of the sale, so that, if all the stockholders who favor the sale had voted, the result would have been 106,773 shares in favor of the sale and 4,676 against it; that the charge of conspiracy, fraud and breach of trust made

against the said Beattie and Branch are unqualifiedly false.

This action is separate and distinct from the action brought in the Federal court for receivership proceedings. Judge John granted a second order setting June 22 as the date for the hearing on the rule to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed for the Parker Cotton Mills company and the sale of the Hampton group of mills restrained.

At the hearing to show cause why the sale of the Hampton Cotton mills should not be permanently enjoined, affidavits were submitted by Captain Ellison A. Smyth, John B. Cleveland, A. F. McKissick, Aug. W. Smith, James P. Gossett, James D. Hammett, B. E. Geer, John M. Geer, W. B. Moore and W. M. Hagood, stating that in their judgement the plants should be sold at the price offered.

In these proceedings the defendants, M. C. Branch and W. E. Beattie, president and treasurer, respectively, of the Parker Cotton Mills Co., filed through their attorneys, Haynsworth & Haynsworth and Cothran, Dean & Cothran, an answer stoutly defending the position that the sale of the Hampton group would be for the best interest of the corporations and stockholders involved. In their answer Messrs. Branch and Beattie pointed out that the Hampton group of mills have never been operated profitably, but that the Hampton Cotton Mills Co. owes about \$2,869,000; the Victor Manufacturing Co. about \$1,688,000, and the Monaghan Mills about \$1,365,000; that practically all this indebtedness falls due July 1 and in their opinions an extension cannot be secured; that unless the Hampton group is sold there will be no funds with which to extinguish this debt; that the price offered for the Hampton group is reasonable in the opinion of the defendants and many prominent disinterested leading mill and business men; that the vote of the directors and stockholders of both the Hampton Cotton Mills Co. and the Parker Cotton Mills Co. was overwhelmingly in favor of the sale; that since the meeting persons holding large blocks of stock not represented at the meeting have expressed their approval of the sale, so that if all the stockholders who favor the sale had voted, the result would have been 160,733 shares in favor of the sale and 4,676 against it; that the charges of conspiracy, fraud and

breach of trust made against the said Beattie and Branch are unqualifiedly false.

The return of the defendants further questioned the authority of the court to review the action of the directors and stockholders, contending that the price and terms of the sale are matters which rest solely in the authority and discretion of the directors and stockholders and that the court cannot inquire into the business necessities of the corporation and the reasonableness and wisdom of the action of the directors and stockholders unless the matter involves fraud.

In reviewing the financial conditions of the Parker Cotton Mills Co. and its subsidiary corporations, to justify the proposed sale as a business necessity, the return sets forth that, discovering in November, 1914, that the company was in financial difficulties, the defendants caused a meeting of the directors to be called in New York on Nov. 4, 1914, at which it developed from the statement of auditors that losses on cotton transactions amounted to \$1,555,786, and that accounts and bills receivable carried on the books of the Parker Cotton Mills Co. and its subsidiary companies, aggregating in book value more than \$1,300,000 were practically worthless, and that the treasury was denuded and that they were without money to meet the maturing payrolls or to obtain cotton needed for the daily consumption of the mills.

In order to continue the operation of the mills the sum of \$650,000 was borrowed at 8 per cent discount. The defendants then secured a favorable adjustment of all the outstanding cotton contracts, after which it was ascertained that the indebtedness of the subsidiary companies as of Nov. 4, 1914, was as follows: Hampton Cotton Mills Co., \$3,353,768; Victor Manufacturing Co., \$1,774,910, and Monaghan Mills, \$1,753,321.

Following this adjustment a plan of reorganization was approved by the directors and submitted in a letter to the stockholders under which the guaranteed stockholders and the preferred stockholders were requested to contribute \$17 per share and the common stockholders \$2.55 per share, for which they were to receive stocks. The plan was acceptable to stockholders holding a large amount of stock, but met with strong opposition from some of the



preferred and common stockholders.

Replying to the affidavit of H. G. Welborn, the return set forth that during the first nine months of his management the mills showed a net loss of \$104,000 without any deduction for depreciation. That during the two years following, from June 30, 1912 to June 30, 1914, the mills showed a profit of \$215,186 or of \$107,593 per year, or approximately 40 cents per spindle per year, but that this estimate is without deduction for depreciation or wear and tear.

A statement showing the earnings of the mills up to the beginning of the present year showed that the mills have been operated profitably as shown by the following table, which represents the earnings. In January, \$26,013; February, 35,006; March, \$64,620; April \$63,701; May, \$66,498; total, \$255,839. Deducting from these profits an allowance for depreciation \$57,000 for the period of five months, the balance of net earnings for this period amount to \$198,839.

Concerning the allegation that persons now or formerly connected as officers with the Parker Cotton Mills Co. and the subsidiary corporations are indebted to the corporations, the defendants claimed that all such debts have been created prior to the time they were elected president and treasurer respectively and that among the persons so indebted is W. H. Rose, one of the plaintiffs.

In conclusion the return averred that the sale of the Hampton Mills would leave the stockholders of the Parker Cotton Mills Co. the group of mills belonging to the Monaghan and Victor companies, which contain the only units that during the present management, as well as that which preceded, have with any degree of continuity, earned profits. That the proceeds of the proposed sale, with other funds in hand will suffice to pay to the creditors of the Parker Cotton Mills Co. and the subsidiary companies 70 per cent of their debts in cash and that these creditors have practically with unanimity agreed to accept in payment of the other 30 per cent of their debts, preferred stock, proposed to be issued against the remaining mills, which will probably be united in one corporation, known as the Victor-Monaghan Mills. This would leave these mills free from debt, in a strong financial condition, so that the remaining plants could be maintained to the highest degree of efficiency, and their products marketed advantageously without being sacrificed upon an unfavorable market.

After all the evidence was in Judge Mauldin, in denying the application, rendered his opinion as follows:

"This matter comes before me upon a rule issued by Associate Justice R. C. Watts, requiring the defendants to show cause why an injunction pendente lite should not issue, restraining the consummation of a proposed sale of the properties of the Hampton Cotton Mills Co. to Lockwood, Greene & Co.

"The defendants having made return, the matter was heard by me upon affidavit and oral testimony.

"It appears that the Parker Cot-

ton Mills Co. owns the stock issued by the Victor Manufacturing Co. and Monaghan Mills.

"The proposed sale was authorized by the directors and stockholders of Hampton Cotton Mills Co. and of Parker Cotton Mills Co., at meetings regularly called. All of the stockholders and directors of Hampton Cotton Mills Co. voted in favor of the sale. All the directors of Parker Cotton Mills company save one likewise voted in favor of the sale. At the meeting of the stockholders of the Parker Cotton Mills company, the vote on the question stood 88,600 in favor and 4,676 against the sale. Since this meeting, other stockholders owning approximately 20,000 shares have by affidavit expressed their approval of the sale, while none seem to have indicated disapproval.

"The plaintiffs' counsel very properly admit that the question of making this sale is one not ultra vires.

"While the complaint, in broad terms, charge fraud and conspiracy on the part of M. C. Branch and W. E. Beattie, respectively president and treasurer of Parker Cotton Mills Co., in connection with certain other persons, the counsel have very properly admitted that no case of actual fraud has been shown. In my opinion the evidence conclusively shows that there is no fraudulent purpose on the part of any of these persons so charged, but their course was conceived for the best interests of the Parker Mills Co.

"The plaintiffs claim, however, that they have made out a case of constructive fraud, in that the prop-

erties were sold at what they claim to be an inadequate price. Gross inadequacy of price may be some evidence of fraud, but in this case there is no evidence of gross inadequacy. Furthermore, the weight of the testimony is that the price is reasonable. A mass of testimony has been introduced showing the great financial troubles under which Parker Cotton Mills Co. and Hampton Cotton Mills have been laboring for the past 20 months, and also showing that except during the months of the present year, the mills of the Hampton group have never earned more than enough profits to cover the reasonable depreciation of the plants. It is admitted that these mills are now making handsome profits, but opinions differ as to how long this will continue to be the case. It also has been made to appear that the debts against the subsidiary corporations of Parker Cotton Mills Co. aggregating more than \$5,000,000 will fall due on July 1 and that it is more than doubtful whether the creditors would consent to renewal, and it is urged that there exist a business necessity for the sale of the plant.

"All of these questions are matters for the consideration of the directors and stockholders of the corporation. The Court cannot undertake to determine the price at which a corporation should sell its property, nor can it determine whether there exists a business necessity for such sale. Where the stockholders and directors have acted, the Court cannot interfere except where the transaction is one not ultra vires,

and that there is no evidence of actual fraud.

"A large number of the ablest manufacturers in this section of the country have testified that the proposed sale is at a reasonable price and for the best interest of the company.

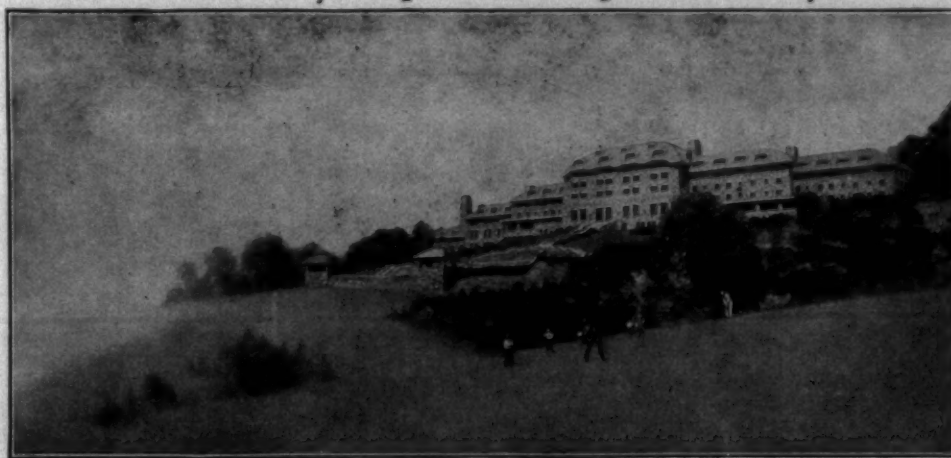
"I see no reason to question the wisdom of the action of the directors and stockholders. If this injunction should issue it will be followed by far-reaching consequences and would probably bring disaster to all stockholders.

"It is, therefore, ordered and adjudged that the return is sufficient and that the rule heretofore issued be discharged and the injunction be refused."

After Judge Mauldin had refused to issue the injunction, the proposed sale of the Hampton Group of the Parker-Cotton Mills Company is held up again—at least for several months as a result of an order of supersedeas which has been granted by Associate Justice R. C. Watts. This order is far reaching in consequence as it serves to stay all proceedings now in force, until the Supreme Court of South Carolina decides.

The order of supersedeas was granted by Judge Watts at his chambers at Cheraw upon petition of the plaintiffs who prayed before Circuit Judge Johnson that the sale be restrained. Judge Mauldin refused to issue the injunction and thereby decided in favor of the mill officers. The writ of supersedeas stays his decision, and in effect, also stays the outcome of the proceeding before

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Judge Johnson to enjoin the sale of the Hampton Group and to place the same in the hands of a receiver.

John D. Lee, one of the attorneys representing the plaintiffs, appeared before Judge Watts Saturday at his chamber in Cheraw and petitioned for an order of supersedeas. It is reported that the defendants were represented, although the name of counsel appearing could not be learned.

In securing this effective order, the plaintiffs have scored a victory and have won, partially, what they contended for in circuit and federal courts. It may be several months, a year or longer, before the case is taken up by the Supreme Court and until then the mills company is without authority to consummate sale of the Columbia mills and others known as the Hampton group, which the directors ordered sold to Lockwood, Greene & Company for a stipulated price of \$2,900,000.

Such reorganizations as are now on foot affecting the Hampton Group or mills are destroyed by Judge Watts' order.

Counsel for the plaintiffs seemed elated over the telegram they received from John D. Lee which announced that Judge Watts had granted the order, with a bond of \$2,500.

The sale will necessarily be postponed until the hearing before the Supreme Court, the next session of which is scheduled next November, and the hearing of the case would be due to come up when the Thirteenth Circuit is called. Request may be made for an en banc session of the court.

#### Sale Finally Made.

A later report says:

On Sunday R. C. Watts, associate justice of the Supreme Court signed the following order at his home in Cheraw, entitled "Thirteenth Circuit, Greenville county," William H. Rose, Richard D. Lee and Alex E. King, plaintiffs, appellants against "Parker Cotton Mills Co., and Hampton Cotton Mills Co., M. C. Branch, W. E. Beattie, et al., defendants, respondents. Upon further consideration of the motion for a supersedeas order in the above state case, "it is order signed by me on June 24th, 1916, and the same is hereby modified so as to read as follows:

"It is ordered, that all proceedings by the defendants looking to a consummation of the sale of Hampton Cotton Mills as complained of herein be stayed until the hearing and determination of the appeal in this case, unless on June 26th, 1916, the defendant Parker Cotton Mills Co., deposit with the clerk of this court a bond, with an approved guarantee, or surety company, or with personal sureties if preferred, in the penal sum of sixty-five thousand dollars, conditioned that in the event it be finally decided that the defendants were without authority to consummate the sale complained of, Parker Cotton Mills Company will pay to the plaintiffs the value of their stock."

"Upon the execution of the said bond, the defendants may proceed to consummate said sale as per the resolution adopted by the corporation and the directors and share

holders thereof, as alleged in the complaint and return."

"So much of said order of June 24th, 1916, as is inconsistent with the provisions of this order is hereby rescinded at chambers."

Following the above notification in the writ of supersedeas, final details in the transfer of the Hampton group of cotton mills to Lockwood, Greene & Co. of Boston, were effected early Tuesday. Hampton Mills is a subsidiary of the Parker Mills Company and embraces Olympia, Granby, Richland and Capital City mills in Columbia, the Wylie Mills at Chester, the Pine Creek Mill at Camden, the Fairfield at Winnsboro, the Beaver Dam at Edgefield and an oil mill at Edgefield.

#### Williamston Band Mustered Into Service.

With a large crowd of Williamston people at the station to bid them goodbye, the First Regiment Band, headquarters company, boarded a special train at 6:10 Saturday morning to encamp at Styx, near Columbia, joining Company C, which boarded the train at Pelzer.

The band was prepared to move the second day after the order to be in readiness was received. Two men were disqualified, but their places were quickly filled.

Friday night in Anderson the band was the guest of the Spanish-American War veterans at a barbecue supper.

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#### Mill Boys.

Among the army of professional social uplifters there is a wide spread impression that cotton mill life, particularly in the South, is injurious to the health of the operatives and the ill effects of the work are shown in the impaired vitality of the children of cotton mill operatives. A striking instance disproving this theory has just been given in this state of the fine physical condition of the cotton mill operatives.

The Smyth Rifles at Pelzer, composed entirely of mill men, left Friday morning for camp with 102 men, and the number that were refused enlistment on account of failure to pass the physical examination did not exceed 15, whereas several of the companies in cities have either gone with a smaller force, or have been unable to enroll the number of

men necessary, and the efforts to form the companies have been abandoned.

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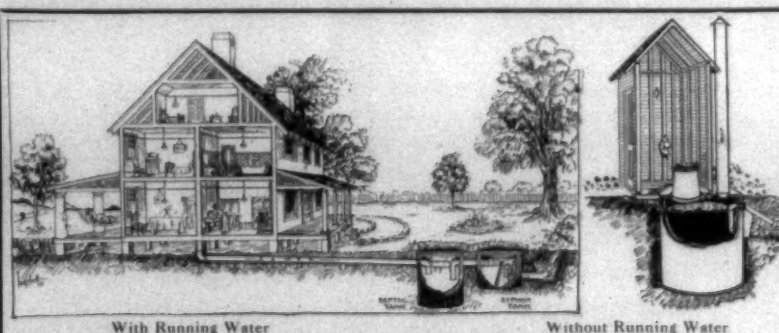
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To quote from Ex-Governor Bob Taylor, of Tennessee:

"I am from Tennessee, where the peach and cherry and every kind of berry bends bough and bush and shines like showered drops of rubies and pearls. I have seen heavens of delight where the linnet swept his lute, and the rush rang his silver bells in the dusky chambers of the forest.

"I saw June unbar her gates of roses in the sweet scented morning, and come forth from the pavilion of enamored night, carrying in her girdle of light the keys to a thousand heavens.

"I saw October open her gate of Opals, and I walked in the heaven of autumnal glory.

"I saw the forest splashed with the tints of a thousand shattered rainbows, and then I saw the veil of Indian Summer, that mysterious phantom of the air which conjures yellow sunlight into mystery, and turns the world into a dream."

My friends, what Bob Taylor said of Tennessee could just as truly have been said of the beautiful Sapphire country of North Carolina. This is a great State and this a great section of the State.

In the words of Kipling:

"When Earth's last picture is painted and the tubes are twisted and dried,

When the oldest colors have faded, and the youngest critic has died, We shall rest, and, faith we shall need it—lie down for and aeon or two,

Till the Master of All Good Workmen shall put us to work anew.

"And those that were good shall be happy; they shall sit in a golden chair;

They shall splash at a ten league canvass with brushes of comets hair;

They shall find real saints to draw from—Magdalene, Peter and Paul;

They shall work for an age at a sitting and never tire at all!

"And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Master shall blame;

And no one shall work for money, and no one shall work for fame, But each for the joy of the working, and each, in his separate star, Shall draw the Thing as he sees it for the God of Things as they are!"

When the Great God of the Universe made this beautiful section around Asheville, He made a picture that man has never been able to paint, and one which the Creator himself has seldom surpassed. It is a section to which we delight to come. The reason we come here is because we like it. We do not think of Asheville as the little boy thought of his father. He was a very small boy. Paddy was his dog, and Paddy was nearer to his heart than anything on earth. When Paddy met swift and hideous death underneath the street car, his mother trembled to break the news. But it had to be, and when he came home from school she told him simply: "Paddy had been run over and killed." He took it very quietly; finished his dinner with appetite and spirits unimpaired. All day it was the same. But five minutes after he had gone up to bed there echoed through the house a shrill and sudden lamentation. His mother rushed upstairs with solicitude and sympathy.

"Nurse says," he sobbed, "that Paddy has been run over and killed." "But, dear, I told you that at dinner, and you didn't seem to trouble at all."

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I am glad that we live in a section where patriotism still exists and whose people are willing to go forth and battle for their country and their flag. As Ex-Governor Glynn has so ably expressed it:

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place on the island. He decided to kneel, he got nearer the clump of investigate and see what manner of bushes from which the smoke was savages inhabited the island. Pain-rising. After awhile, he could hear fully crawling on his hands and the murmur of voices. He still



painfully crawled toward the bushes. A few more feet, and he heard one voice saying to another: "Who in the devil played that card?" Falling on his knees, and lifting his eyes toward heaven, he said, "Thank God they are Christians." My friends, I am glad that I live in a Christian country, I am glad that I live in a liberty-loving country. I am glad that I live in the United States of America. I am glad that I live in North Carolina. When my time comes to die, I hope I won't have to die, but if I do have to die, I hope that I shall go to a place as nearly like North Carolina as it is possible for me to go.

Again I wish to thank you for the welcome extended us today, and I wish to say further, that if you want us back again, all you have to do is to say so.

### Receiver's Sale of Gwyn-Harper Manufacturing Co.

The undersigned receivers, pursuant to an order of Hon. H. P. Lane, Judge, rendered at May term, 1916, of Caldwell Superior Court, will on Wednesday, July 5th, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the store building of the Gwyn-Harper Manufacturing Company, at Patterson, North Carolina, expose to sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder upon the terms contained in the order of the Court, all of the property of the Gwyn-Harper Manufacturing Company, which may then be in the possession of said receivers as a going concern, including all its stock of goods, goods in process of manufacture, and the lands, water-power and rights connected therewith. Said property embraces among other things the following:

A cotton and woolen mill, cotton mill with 1,800 cotton spindles, and line of machinery for spinning wool yarn and weaving wool blankets; water-power will develop 75 H. P. and the mill has an auxiliary steam plant, part of mill building new; there are about 600 acres in the mill tract which also has operatives' houses and store and other buildings located thereon. The factory lands are estimated to cut 600,000 feet of merchantable timber. There are about 200 acres of land situated on West of the Turnpike Road and about two miles North from Patterson, upon which the timber has been cut. There is a tract to be sold to the East of the Turnpike road, on Green Mountain, near the store house of W. J. Harrington, known as the Greenfield tract, and containing about 40 acres. There is also a tract of land of about 40 acres on the Turnpike road at present occupied by Ed. Elrod and known as the George Messick tract.

Under the inventory made by the receivers, the buildings and machinery on the mill tract were valued at \$13,000, goods in process, machinery and stock on hand, about \$7,000, and the other real estate of the company about \$42,000. The store will inventory about \$8,000. The receivers will also sell \$1,000 stock in the Le-noir and Blowing Rock Turnpike Company.

The receivers in their discretion —Ex.

may offer the property for sale in parcels or lots and then as a whole, and that sale reported to the Court which will yield the largest sum. The sale will be had upon the following terms: If the purchaser shall buy the plant of the company as a going concern, he will be required to deposit a certified check for \$3,000 as an evidence of good faith, and to be treated as a forfeit in the event of the purchaser's failing to comply with the terms of his bid. Upon confirmation such additional sum shall be paid by the purchaser as will, with the \$3,000 cash, amount to one-third of the purchase money, and the remaining two-thirds shall be due and payable in three equal installments, due in six, twelve and eighteen months respectively from such confirmation, and the purchaser shall be required to execute a deed of trust upon the property conveyed to secure the remaining purchase money in form satisfactory to said receivers. The bidding will remain open for ten days, and in the event the bids received at first sale shall be raised ten per cent within such period by a responsible bidder, the receivers will make a second sale of said property without any other or further order therefor. In the event no raised bid is offered, the sale will be reported to the court on August 1st, 1916, and by the terms of the order the court is authorized to enter a decree of confirmation at Chambers or term time upon ten days notice from the receivers. Upon confirmation the property will be turned over to the purchaser.

The property to be sold has been appraised at \$71,173.41 as will appear from the report of the receivers on file in the Superior Court of Caldwell County. This appraisal and sale does not and will not embrace the accounts and bills receivable of the concern. The property above advertised will be exhibited to any prospective purchasers by either of the undersigned receivers. This May 29th, 1916.

James Harper,  
Mark Squires,  
Receivers.

### Wanted to See it Work.

As a reward for good conduct Johnny was taken to the zoo by his mother. Just before starting Johnny and his aunt Mary had a decided difference of opinion as to what did or did not constitute clean ears and a clean neck.

Arriving at the zoo they soon came across a curious-looking animal.

"What's that?" asked Johnny.

"That's an anteater, dear," said his mother.

A determined look came over Johnny's face.

"Say, mummy," he said, "tomorrow let's bring Aunt Mary out here."—Ex.

### Got 'Em the First Time.

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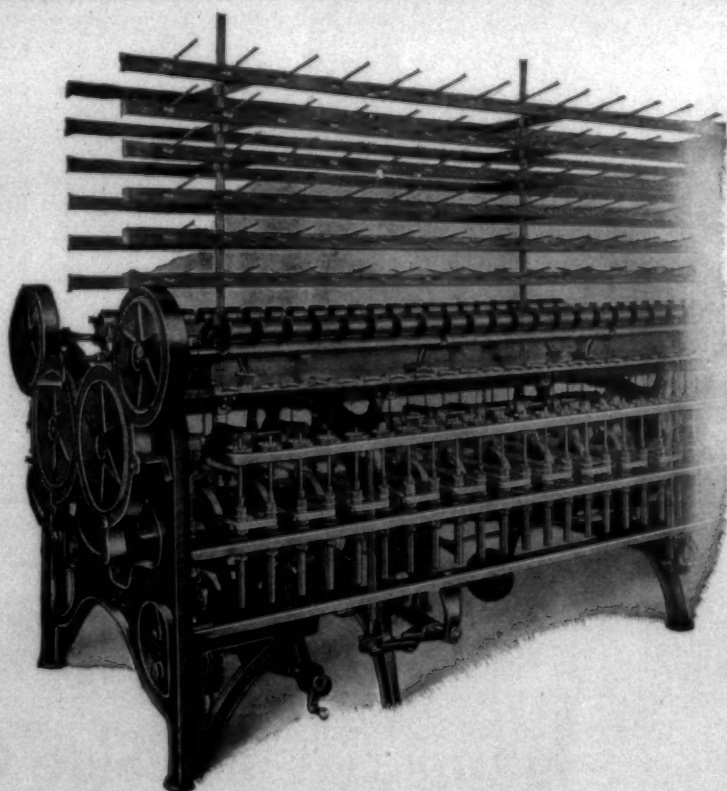
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### Wants Spindle Speed.

Editor:

I want to ask a question through the discussion page of your valuable paper. I am going to make some 26s yarns. I have 38 frames, 240 spindles. Will some competent man tell me what my spindle speed should be and what would be a good speed for my front rolls. What production should I get.

Learner.

### Wants Costs on Spinning, Spooling and Warping.

Editor:

What should it cost for spinning, spooling and warping complete on an 11,000-spindle job, with 6,000 spindles making 26s warp and 5,000 spindles making 32½s filling. Both warp and filling colored throughout. Warps creeled in patterns and average a little more than one beam to the creel. This excessive creeling brought about by the very large number colors to the pattern, and the great variety of patterns.

4-11-44.

### \$3,500,000 An Hour the War's Cost.

If the latest official estimates as to the cost of the European war per day are anywhere near correct, we may get a better idea of how long the war will last by trying to figure out how long the money will last.

The official figures of the daily cost of the war, for direct expenses—not taking into account, of course, the property loss, or the cost in human lives—are \$86,000,000, distributed as follows:

Great Britain, \$25,000,000; France, \$18,000,000; Russia, \$15,500,000; Germany, \$16,600,000; Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey, \$10,900,000—Total, \$86,000,000.

The war has now been in progress twenty-two months and bids fair to go on several months longer; maybe another year, or more, for all anyone knows. From this some idea may be had of the enormous financial burden that has been placed upon the backs of the different European nations; and, yet, the figures



Gordon Cobb, Inman, S. C.  
Chairman Board of Governors,  
Southern Textile Association.

are so amazing that the mind can scarcely comprehend them—\$86,000,000 "a day"; not a week, or month. About \$3,600,000 an hour; \$60,000 a minute.

Surely, Europe cannot continue under such a strain much longer. And it is equally inconceivable that any of the nations now at war could—from the dollar and cents standpoint alone—sufficiently recover from the present struggle within a generation to voluntarily undertake a war with the United States, which has grown stronger financially as the nations of Europe have grown weak.—New York World.

### T. V. Terrell Honored.

Sunday T. V. Terrell, secretary and treasurer of the Locke Cotton Mills, went to his former home at Cooleemee to spend the day. During the afternoon Mr. Terrell was pleasantly surprised when a delegation of his former business associates and fellow townsmen called at his home. Immediately after the call he was again pleasantly and happily

surprised when one of the delegation, acting as spokesman, presented him with a handsome Hamilton watch bearing the inscription:

"To Mr. T. V. Terrell as a token of esteem and good will of the people of Cooleemee."

Mr. Terrell, moved with emotions of gratitude and appreciation of the gift and the spirit that prompted it, acknowledged it with words of deep appreciation, declaring that the happy occasion would ever remain stereotyped in his memory and that the gift would ever be a reminder of the pleasant and happy relations with the good people of Cooleemee, with whom he lived for 17 years.—Concord Tribune.

### Graphite Lubricating Co., Changes Name to Bound Brook Oil-Less Bearing Co.

The Graphite Lubricating Co., of Bound Brook, N. J., which has enjoyed a large trade with the Southern cotton mills for several years, has changed the name of the company to the Bound Brook Oil-Less Bearing Co. Regarding the change in the name of the firm, the company has issued the following notice:

"You will notice from the attached announcement that effective today, we will conduct our business under the title of 'Bound Brook Oil-Less Bearing Company'."

"We consider this change necessary due to the many misinterpretations throughout the trade as to the exact nature of our product, many who were unfamiliar with our bearings being under the impression we were manufacturers of various graphite greases, lubricants, etc., and being unaware of the fact that we manufacture Bound Brook Graphite and Bronze Oil-less Bearings and Bronze signiG raphp, . . . ings and Nigrum Treated Wood Oil-less Bearings, exclusively.

"We wish to take this occasion to express our appreciation of your patronage under the old name, and assure you that we shall be pleased to serve you under the title of 'Bound Brook Oil-Less Bearing Company' in any way possible."

### Will Be Electrocutted For Murder.

James Henley, an employee of the Battersea Cotton Mills, Petersburg, Va., was sentenced to die in the electric chair September 29 for the murder of James Lewis, April 9 last, by a jury in the Hastings Court here.

Witnesses testified at the trial that Henley was walking about the mills after working hours when Lewis, the night watchman, ordered him off the property.

Lewis went to his home, secured a knife, and according to the witnesses, attacked the night watchman with the weapon.

Lewis was cut about the abdomen and died almost instantly. Henley was later arrested at his home.

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The latest development is the Felco Bobbin Clearer. This brush is made of stiff bristle, securely twisted in wire and mounted upon a shaft which is operated by a small belt. The Felco Bobbin Clearer is especially designed for cleaning slubber and speeder bobbins. Bad roving is often made by the bottom of speeder bobbins becoming clogged by oil and lint so that bobbins "rides" or jumps and the Felco Bobbin Cleaner prevents such accumulation. It is used by fine yarn mills as an insurance against oil or grease getting on the roving and thereby making strained yarn.

Many other brushes have been designed by D. D. Felton Brush Co., and thereby making stained yarn with.

J. B. Fitch is manager of the company while Geo. B. Snow looks after the selling end and is a well-known and popular visitor at the

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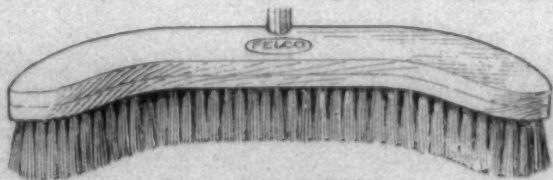
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Brush Co., more in the nature of an experiment than as a permanent enterprise.



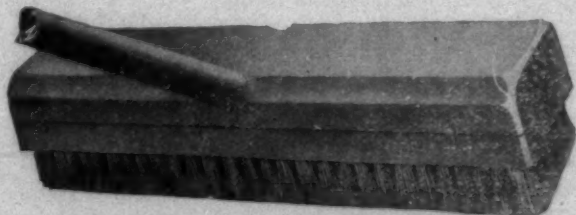
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J. B. Fitch was placed in charge of the plant and under his management it has had a remarkable growth and the D. D. Felton Brush is practically indestructible, able being made of a good grade of bristles.



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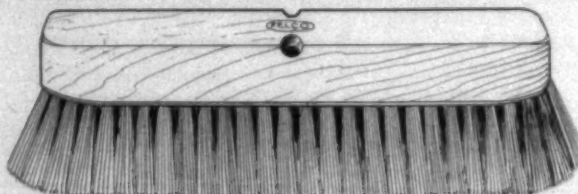
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### Criticism by Asheville Paper.

The Asheville Citizen of Asheville, N. C., saw fit to call the address of J. M. Davis of Newberry, S. C., a "Discreditable Address," and having written many discreditable editorials on child labor in the past few months the Asheville Citizen can claim some right to a knowledge of things discreditable.

J. M. Davis delivered a very able address and any one who will read same will be struck with the fair and candid manner in which he handled his subject.

The trouble with the Asheville Citizen is that it swallowed whole the false doctrines and false accusations of every member of the National Child Labor Committee as promulgated when that organization met in Asheville in January of this year.

It did so without investigation and without seeking to get at the truth of their statements and since then has become a leader in abuse of the cotton manufacturers of the South.

There is some excuse of a Northern paper to depict terrible conditions of child labor in Southern cotton mills, because they are moved to some extent by sectional rivalry and they are too far away to learn the truth, but it passes all understanding why a Southern paper will join hands with our traducers when they could easily learn the truth by making an investigation themselves.

A report just issued by the New York City Congestion Committee says:

"In Wall street's backyard—right around the corner from the wealth-

iest spot on earth—the most poverty-stricken slum in the world has just been discovered.

Their publicity plans were, however, disrupted by a master stroke of A. B. Carter, secretary of the Southern Textile Association, who sent them a telegram asking what they had ever done to aid in educating and supporting the mill children of the South.

"The wooden tenement buildings where babies die like flies in summer are owned by members of New York's landed aristocracy.

"Down in Wall street's backyard 10,000 immigrants are huddled together into vile-smelling tenements where the baby death rate is three times that in any other part of the city.

"Here the children are weak and sickly. In the dense-packed streets some child is crushed or killed daily by a heavy truck.

"The tenements swarm with a dozen families to the floor, having only one common sink among them. The houses are perfect bedlams. Tuberculosis mothers and babies, cripples and defectives languish in the unventilated bedrooms."

Shutting their eyes to the misery described above and holding their noses to shut out the stench, the salaried representatives of the National Child Labor Committee came last January from their offices, which are located close by where "babies die like flies" to Asheville, N. C., and began to tell the country of the "terrible condition," that existed in Southern cotton mills.

It was their intention to flood the country with press reports relative to bad conditions in the South because such reports loosen the purse strings of many well-meaning philanthropist in the North and West,

and salaries and expenses depend upon such contributors.

Their publicity plans were, however, disrupted by a master stroke of A. B. Carter, secretary of the Southern Textile Association, who sent them a telegram asking what they had ever done to aid in educating and supporting the mill children of the South.

It was an embarrassing question for the men who were spending large sums upon their own salaries and expenses while telling of the terrible conditions and if asking an embarrassing question is insulting then Carter insulted them. A grafter would no doubt be insulted if asked what he did with his graft.

Carter also asked them why the Keating-Owen Bill was drawn so as not to include the little children who work in the sweat-shops in the district described above.

They had drawn the Keating-Owen Bill so as to apply to the children in the cotton mills of the South and yet for reasons of their own left out the tenement house workers of New York, which are close to their office doors.

A. B. Carter wondered why and his curiosity prompted him to ask them and thereby according to the Asheville Citizen insulted them.

If, as has been suggested, part of their salaries are paid by those interested in the profits in tenement house work it was an embarrassing question and "per se" insulting.

A. B. Carter, as secretary of the Southern Textile Association, performed a service for the South when he stirred up the National Child Labor Conference and prevented them from getting out their usual line of false reports relative to the cotton mills of the South.

One textile paper has tried to discredit the action of Mr. Carter, but it will in no way injure him, for every sensible man knows that the secretary of every such organization has to act in between the meetings of the Association. There is hardly a month passes that the secretary of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association does not send telegrams to Congress or other organizations.

His action must, of course, be in accordance with the policies adopted by the Association and so were the telegrams sent by A. B. Carter.

A reference to the resolutions passed at former meetings of the Southern Textile Association will show that Carter acted in accordance with the expressions contained in them.

Very few persons would claim that the secretary of such an organization must act deaf and dumb while a lot of paid agitators traduce the industry with which he is connected.

The attack of the Asheville Citizen upon J. M. Davis and A. B. Carter will strengthen them with the mill people of the South, because both attacks were essentially unfair.

We regret that the Asheville Citizen has not taken the trouble to investigate conditions before joining the traducers of the South.

We all know that conditions are not ideal, but it can be honestly said that the mill owners are continually striving to better them and have the

interest of their employees far more at heart than the salaried representatives of the National Child Labor Committee.

### A Discreditable Speech.

(Asheville Citizen.)

It is rather unfortunate both for himself and for the Southern Textile Association that J. M. Davis, of Newberry, S. C., vice-president of the organization, should have flagrantly insulted scores of good men and women in this city and throughout the country generally in a public speech at the closing session of the convention held at Asheville. Indeed, this particular association, whose forte seems to be abuse and not argument, has not made a pleasant impression upon this city, having in mind the insulting telegrams which a Mr. Carter, secretary of the Southern Textile Association rained upon the convention of the National Child Labor committee held here last winter. While the members of the child labor committee were the guests of this city they would not permit themselves to make any unseemly attacks upon the mill owners' organization which did not have good grace to let the labor committee hold its convention in peace. Holding its own convention in this city a few months later, the Southern Textile Association allows one of its officers to deliver a speech which was worthy of the Bowery. "Paid hirelings, long-haired men and short-haired women" are opposing the mill-owners in seeking to prevent child labor, according to Mr. Davis, who must have felt highly gratified, and not a little flattered at his own cheap wit when he heard the uproarious laughter that greeted his remarks.

The people of Asheville will surely hold this convention in kindly memory when they dwell upon the fact that the Reverend R. F. Campbell, one of the most beloved of our citizens, is one of the "paid hirelings and long-haired men" who are striving to save American children from the greed and rapacity of the organized mill interests. That is the only object of the noble men and women who fight the cause of childhood. But what is the object of the mill owners who abuse everybody holding opposing views.

Mr. Davis in his tirade intimated that it was not the monetary advantage to the mill which prompted the employment of children under fourteen years of age. If this is true; if there is no monetary advantage to be gained by the mill owners when they use child labor and publicly approve of it, why do they maintain expensive lobbies at Raleigh to fight child labor legislation every time the North Carolina legislature meets. If they do not profit by child labor in their mills, coining the blood of little children, who do they maintain still more expensive lobbies at Washington in their effort to defeat the enactment of federal laws looking to the protection of American childhood? If they have no desire for sordid gain why do they abuse and malign all who attempt to impede and defeat their plans? They attack the children's

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## PERSONAL NEWS

J. H. Roe is now superintendent of the Huntsville (Ala.) Cotton Mills.

M. A. Ingle has accepted the position of shipping clerk at Asheville Cotton Mills, Asheville, N. C.

J. W. Lee of McColl, S. C., has accepted position of overseer of carding at Raeford, N. C.

A. A. Short is now filling position of carder and spinner at the Paola Cotton Mills, Statesville, N. C.

J. M. Short has resigned as carder and spinner at the Dilling Cotton Mills, Kings Mountain, N. C.

B. A. Holmes has resigned as superintendent of the Irene Mills, Gaffney, S. C.

L. K. Anderson has been elected secretary of the Clifton (S. C.) Manufacturing Company.

S. J. DuPree has been elected secretary of the D. E. Converse Co., Glendale, S. C.

J. W. Holt has been elected superintendent of the Wadesboro (N. C.) Cotton Mills.

John Hurst has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Fitzgerald (Ga.) Cotton Mills.

J. D. Massey has resigned as secretary and treasurer of the Perkins Hosiery Mills, Columbus, Ga.

Carl Kale has been promoted to superintendent of the Imperial Yarn Mills, Belmont, N. C.

William Bass has been promoted to overseer of carding at the Home Cotton Mills, St. Louis, Mo.

D. E. C. Clough, of Walterboro, S. C., is now night superintendent of the Wadesboro (N. C.) Cotton Mills.

A. L. Ellis of Iva, S. C., has become overseer of spinning at the Pelzer (S. C.) Mill No. 4.

R. C. Thatcher, secretary of the Coosa Manufacturing Company, is also now acting as superintendent.

J. M. Williams has resigned as superintendent of the Cora Cotton Mills, Kings Mountain, N. C.

W. H. Carter, president of the Mississippi Cotton Mills, is now also acting as superintendent.

H. T. Godfrey has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Saxe-Gotha Mills, Lexington, S. C., and moved to Columbia, S. C.

J. H. Crews, formerly of Enoree, S. C., has accepted position as superintendent of the Irene Mills, Gaffney, S. C.

E. S. Henley has resigned as card grinder at the Lynchburg (Va.) Cotton Mills to accept a similar position at West Durham, N. C.

J. B. Cook has succeeded A. Culbertson as secretary and treasurer of the Woodstock Cotton Mills, Aniston, Ala.

J. D. Patton of Monroe, Ga., is now second hand in spinning at the Imperial Mill, Eatonton, Ga.

R. H. Kale will be overseer of carding on both day and night run at the Climax Spinning Company, Belmont, N. C.

C. J. Tune has accepted position as secretary and treasurer of the Perkins Hosiery Mills, Columbus, Ga.

R. L. Martin, overseer of weaving at the Deep River Mills, Randleman, N. C., was on an automobile trip to Bessemer City last week.

Frank Ball has succeeded N. F. Steel as superintendent of the Stony Point Manufacturing Company, Stony Point, N. C.

B. N. Ragsdale has become superintendent of the Unity Spinning Mills, LaGrange, Ga., under S. Y. Austin as general superintendent.

C. E. O'Pry has accepted the position of overseer of carding and spinning at the Cohannet Mill, Finger-ville, S. C.

J. E. Smith has been promoted from overseer of spinning to night superintendent of the Johnston Mfg. Co., Charlotte, N. C.

W. C. Withers of the Flint Mills, Gastonia, N. C., will be superintendent of the new Groves Mills at that place.

J. R. Roberts has been promoted from carder and spinner to superintendent of the Cora Cotton Mills, Kings Mountain, N. C.

M. E. Stevens has resigned as superintendent and manager of the Mississippi Cotton Mills, Morehead, Miss.

— — Honeycutt has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Dunn Mfg. Co., Gastonia, N. C., to accept a similar position at the Rex Spinning Co., Ranlo, N. C.

C. L. Bungardner has resigned as superintendent of the Imperial Yarn Mills, Belmont, N. C., to accept a similar position at the Climax Company of that place.

— — Steel of Vacluse (S. C.) has accepted a position as overseer of carding and spinning at the John E. Smith Cotton Mills, Thomason, Ga.

T. L. Smith has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Putnam Mills & Power Company, Edenton, Ga., to become overseer of carding and spinning at the Adelaide Mills, Aniston, Ala.

W. P. Lee has resigned as overseer of carding and spinning at the Falls Manufacturing Company, Granite Falls, N. C., to become overseer of both day and night spinning at the Climax Spinning Company, Belmont, N. C.

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M. F. Dawkins has been transferred from second hand in No. 1 spinning to a similar position in No. 2 spinning at the Lumberton (N. C.) Cotton Mills.

J. G. Sanders has resigned as overseer of carding at the Home Cotton Mills, St. Louis, Mo., to become night carder at the Meritas Mills, Columbus, Ga.

J. T. Florence has resigned as overseer of carding at the Fairmont Mills, Fairmont, S. C., to become superintendent of the Henry Cotton Mills, Hawkinsville, Ga.

B. R. Phillips has resigned as carder and spinner at the Jefferson (Ga.) Mills and now has a position at the Princeton Mfg. Co., Athens, Ga.

C. B. Walls has resigned as card grinder at the Imperial Mills, Eatonton, Ga., to become overseer of carding and spinning at the Putnam Mill and Power Co., of the same place.

T. L. Smith has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Putnam Mills, Eatonton, Ga., and accepted a position at the Imperial Mill, of the same place.

R. L. Poovey has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Cabarrus Cotton Mills, Kannapolis, N. C., to become superintendent of the Tuckasee Manufacturing Company, Mt. Holly, N. C.

J. B. Harris, overseer of spinning at the Greenwood (S. C.) Cotton Mills, is not the J. B. Harris that recently accepted a position as overseer of spinning at Greer, S. C. Mr. Harris has been for a number of years with the Greenwood Cotton Mills and his employees think so highly of him that there is no probability of his making a change.

W. E. Tisdale has resigned as overseer of carding at the Harbor-ough Mills, Bessemer City, N. C., to become overseer of carding and spinning at the Dilling Mills, Kings Mountain, N. C.

L. B. Gibson has resigned as second hand in carding at the Woodside Mills, Greenville, S. C., to become overseer of carding at Fairmont, S. C.

A. M. Vandergrift has resigned as superintendent of the Fountain Cotton Mills, Tarboro, N. C., to become superintendent of the re-organized Tarboro Cotton Factory, of that place.

## LOOKING BACKWARD

### FIVE YEARS AGO

Items of interest which appeared in The Southern Textile Bulletin this date five years ago.

J. H. Hines accepted position as second hand in carding at the Roanoke Mills, Roanoke Rapids, N. C.

W. M. Miller resigned as overseer of carding at Bennettsville, S. C., to become superintendent of the Marlboro No. 3 Mill, McColl, S. C.

W. E. Tisdale accepted position of carding and spinning at the Dilling Mills, Kings Mountain, N. C., (Mr. Tisdale it will be noted has accepted this same position this week)

The Monaghan Mills, Greenville, S. C., let contract for an addition to their mill.

Woodside Cotton Mills Company, with a capital stock of \$3,000,000, was organized as the holding company of the Woodside Cotton Mills, Fountain Inn Manufacturing Company and Simpsonville Cotton Mills.



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## MILL NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Kansas City, Mo.**—The machinery in the Wyandotte Cotton Mills has been sold and will probably be moved to some other point.

**Clover, S. C.**—The officers of the Hawthorne Mills will be Thomas McConnell president, H. F. Richardson secretary, Chas. E. Chiles treasurer and M. L. Smith will be assistant treasurer and manager.

**Monroe, N. C.**—E. W. Griffin, and J. B. Green, well-known farmers living near Midland, spent the week-end in Monroe. They report that it is possible that a cotton mill will be erected at Middleton within a year.

**Reidsville, N. C.**—A company known as the Reidsville Hosiery Mills has been organized here by A. V. Victorius & Co., and Bernard Bandler & Sons, of New York, and will build a 105 by 44 foot mill in which they will install 50 electric knitting machines.

**Kings Mountain, N. C.**—A wind storm on last Saturday blew off about 40 feet of the roof of the Pauline Mills. Nearly all of the brick work at the end of the mill was blown over on the spinning room and the card room badly damaged by water. No one was injured.

**Salisbury, N. C.**—The Yadkin Finishing Co. will be the name of the new finishing and bleaching concern, which was organized here last week, as noted. They have incorporated with a capital stock of \$200,000 and will build a plant for finishing and mercerizing. The incorporators are N. B. McCannless, T. B. Marsh and M. L. Jackson.

**Montgomery, Ala.**—A meeting of the stockholders of the Demopolis Cotton Mills Co. will be held today for the purpose of creating a bonding indebtedness of \$50,000 to be used in paying off all old debts. It is the plan of the stockholders also to take some action toward raising funds to provide additional machinery.

**Greensboro, N. C.**—W. A. Hewitt, president of the Greensboro Supply Company, Greensboro, N. C., has purchased for his company the entire textile machinery equipment of the R. Johnson Yarn and Cordage Mill, which cost about \$75,000. The machinery is in splendid physical condition, and will probably be moved to North Carolina in the near future.

**Attalla, Ala.**—The building for the new hosiery mill here is about completed and machinery is being placed. The mill begins with 50 knitters and 20 loopers, and will work about 100 women and girls. For the present this mill will only make the foot of the sock and stockings. The legs will be shipped here from the Fort Payne plant and will be finished here. L. C. Davis will be manager of the mill.

**Tuscoloosa, Ala.**—The Rosenau Hosiery Mills, manufacturers of men's, women's and children's hosiery, will be considerably enlarged. The company, at the present time, operates 180 knitting machines.

**Newton, N. C.**—The Fidelity Hosiery Mills are shipping from a northern factory 50 new knitting machines this week, making their total equipment 215 machines and increasing the capacity of the plant from 600 to 800 dozen hose a day. About 15 more people will find employment. The industry is very prosperous, and is able to secure all the yarn and dye it can use, while labor conditions are excellent. Orders are abundant and the difficulties which beset the knitting industry the first months of the war have been overcome.

**Durham, N. C.**—N. Underwood has been awarded a contract for the erection of a \$26,300 storage warehouse building for the Durham Hosiery Mill Company.

The building, according to announcement by J. S. Carr, Jr., president of the company, will be able to take care of from five to six thousand bales of cotton, and also a large amount of merchandise.

The warehouse is being erected in connection with the large finishing plant that is being built in the center of Durham's business district.

**Clinton, Tenn.**—The work of building a large new addition to the Magnet Knitting Mill at this place has begun. The addition will be of reinforced concrete, with outside walls of brick, will be 75x200, two stories and basement and absolutely fire-proof, all floors and the roof being of concrete.

The building when completed will represent a cost of \$125,000 and will give the plant an output of 2,000 dozen hose daily. It is expected that the plant will be completed by Oct. 15. S. M. Leath, of Clinton, is president; Garnett Andrews, general manager.

**Brenham, Tex.**—The South Texas Cotton Mills are now operating on a schedule of 20 hours a day with day and night shifts, according to Tom A. Adams, manager, and the mills, even at this place, are unable to fill all orders for sheeting, as received. Two hundred operatives are now employed, 100 working by day and 100 by night.

The plant has just been overhauled and additional spindles and looms installed. The number of spindles in daily operation now is 6,050 and the number of looms 171.

**Columbus, Ga.**—With the many improvements going on in the cotton mill sections in Columbus, several of the mills doubling their capacities, there is to be a great increase in demands for labor here.

The Bibb Manufacturing branch here has doubled its capacity, and so has the Meritas, while the Swift and Muscogee mills are now practically doubling their capacities. These mills will take about 1,800 more hands than are now employed in Columbus, and it is stated with the mills running on night shifts that even more hands will be needed.

These improvements will bring to Columbus many more people to make this city their homes, and besides the extra pay rolls which will be turned loose in the city, other money will be brought here. The cotton mill business is indeed the in-

dustry of Columbus, stated a business man today, and every day points to the good that it is doing the city and the community generally.

**Atlanta, Ga.**—According to the report of H. M. Stanley, commissioner of commerce and labor for Georgia, there are in Georgia 166 textile mills of which nine are idle. The total capital invested amounts to \$48,849,232. Of the 166 textile mills 100 of them are located in 16 counties of the state. Only four of the nine mills are in these 16 counties mentioned. It seems that the more mills that are located in a given place the better the opportunity is for making a success. The combined capital of the mills in these 16 counties amount to \$43,893,727 or just \$4,955,505 less than the capital for the entire state.

In the report textile statistics for all counties having three or more mills of the same class are tabulated separately. Muscogee County leads the state in capital invested in textile mills, followed by Troup, and Richmond is third. In the number of spindles and looms Muscogee leads with Richmond second and Fulton third.

### Tarboro Cotton Mills Sold.

The Tarboro Cotton Mills have been sold to W. A. Hart, a business man of that place for \$91,000. The property is valued at \$250,000. The mill has not been in operation for about four years, but Mr. Hart states that it will be put back into operation as early as possible.

### Cedartown Mills Sold.

It was reported Wednesday by Charles S. Austin, representing Joseph P. Day, of New York City, that that two Cedartown cotton mills, the Josephine and Wahnita, have been sold to Fred D. Noble, of Cedartown. The properties were formerly owned and operated by the Cedartown Cotton Company, comprising Bateson & Dowd, of New York City.

### Big Fourth of July at Pacolet Mills.

The Fourth of July will be observed at Pacolet Mills, Pacolet, S. C., with a big celebration similar to the one held last year. The event will be under the general supervision of the directors of the Pacolet Mills Y. M. C. A. A free lunch and free lemonade will be served, but the real purpose of the occasion is to promote social intercourse, to develop interest in helpful athletics, and to revive the spirit of '76.

The day will begin with a procession led by the village band which will leave the office building at 8:30 A. M., and will proceed at once to the new athletic field where the celebration will be held.

First on the program will be a contest between seven teams from

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Mill No. 5 and seven from Mill No. 3. These teams will consist of ten men each and will compete for the silver cup which was won last year by weave room No. 5. The events in the contest are: Progressive Shot Put, Progressive Broad Jump, Shuttle Relay Races, Three-Legged Races, Tug of War, Skin the Snake, Base Ball Game.

Following the contest will be a long list of events which will fill the entire day and give each man, woman, and child a chance to participate. The day will be concluded with a free picture show in the large auditorium.

#### B. B. Gossett is Captain of Machine Gun Company.

B. B. Gossett, president and treasurer of the Riverside and Toxaway Mills, Anderson, S. C., is captain of a machine gun company recruited at that place. The company left Saturday morning for Camp Styx, where the South Carolina militia mobilizes. The Riverside and Toxaway Mills shut down as the train bearing the troops reached the mills, and a tremendous ovation was given the company.

#### Improvements at the Pacolet Manufacturing Co.

Sixteen months ago the Pacolet Manufacturing Co., Pacolet, S. C., invited the Y. M. C. A. to promote and supervise the welfare work of the village. The company provides for a secretary, has splendidly equipped a gymnasium, has placed more than 600 books in the library, and in addition provides a large assembly hall which is adapted for religious services and for entertainments of all kinds.

Immediately following the opening of the Y. M. C. A. there began a series of improvements in and around the village, but the greatest of all consists in tearing down three hundred old houses and replacing them with as many new ones. These new houses are of three, four, five, six, seven and eight rooms to suit the needs of different families. The houses are about sixty feet apart and no two neighboring houses are alike.

The streets have all been rearranged, widened, and renamed. The houses are placed twenty feet from the sidewalks, leaving ample room for grass and flowers, while garden space is provided between and behind the houses.

The expensive deep well system has been replaced by a new water works system. Each house is supplied with running water in the kitchen and bath room. Also all houses are supplied with electric lights in all rooms and halls.

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covers nine grades and the school year is from September 1st to May 30th. In addition to the day school there is a night school in the school building and special classes in the Y. M. C. A., all of which are well attended.

The village also has two well equipped churches and pastors. In this work the churches have the active support of the Y. M. C. A.

The cost of building this town anew has been great for difficulties have obtained here such as probably exist in no other village. Grades of twenty feet have been blasted through almost solid rock. Also it has been necessary to provide homes for the 2,500 people while the work has been going on and this has been done with very little inconvenience.

The expense of these improvements—the new houses, electric lights in the houses and along the streets, running water in the houses, a complete sewer system, seems justified by an increased interest on the part of the people in things social, mental, moral, aesthetic and spiritual.

On behalf of themselves and all the people of the village, the directors of the Pacolet Mills Y. M. C. A. wish to extend their appreciation for this great philanthropic work to V. M. Montgomery, the president of the company, and the prime mover of it all.

#### A Co-operative Store.

Residents of the Walhalla (S. C.) Mills are organizing a company for the conduct of a heavy grocery business on the mill property. The business will be conducted under the name of "The Co-operative Store of Walhalla." The capital stock of the new company will be \$2,500, divided into 500 shares of \$5 each. No shareholder will be permitted to take more than 20 shares, thus preventing the accumulation of stock in any one quarter. The Walhalla Mills have no connection whatever with the organization further than that the mill management is erecting a building on the mill property, and this building will be rented to the mercantile firm. It is hoped to have the building completed and all plans in shape for opening business on July 1st. The officers of the company will be as follows: President, J. C. Montjoy; treasurer, D. S. Maddox; business manager, W. L. Brace.

#### Four Sons in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tucker, of the Young-Hartsell Mills, Concord, N. C., have four sons in the service of the United States Army. Three of them are regulars, one stationed at Fort George Wright, one in Connecticut, one at Columbus, and the fourth a member of a local company.

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## Cotton Goods Report

New York.—Cotton goods were steady last week, with prices showing greater firmness owing to the upward move in cotton during the week. Many of the well-known lines were stronger, even where actual advances had not been named and manufacturers and agents handling cotton duck gradually shortened their discounts. Mills making osnaburgs have orders for some time to come and they are holding prices very firm. Ticking and gingham are well sold ahead, with 8-ounce tickings on a basis of 15 1-2 cents, against 11 1-2 cents a year ago.

Fine and fancy goods have grown steadier. Many lines of print cloths recovered in price during last week and other divisions of the cotton goods division were strengthened by the placing of large Government contracts.

Manufacturers and dyers are finding fast dyes more of problem than ever. They are able to get the various colors they desire, but they do not seem to hold in the finished goods. The trouble is said to come from the uneven quality of the dye-stuffs used, which make it impossible for the dyer to know whether or not the colors he uses will hold for any length of time. Goods which were shipped from mills which have always produced goods of quality, have been returned because they faded badly.

Colored cottons are in small supply in this market and further supplies are not easy to get where manufacturers are willing to guarantee fast colors. Several lines of dress gingham have been taken off the market for the rest of the year, as the mills can take no further orders. In other instances, mills have not yet shown their lines for the new season. Large export orders for prints and other lines of cheap goods have placed the markets in a strong position.

Jobbers are reporting that the volume of business they are booking for fall is very large. Reports from some of the houses in the West say that they are already short on many blankets, flannels and staple colored goods. Repeat orders are large and on the whole the jobbers are finding an unusually good business on almost all classes of goods. The retail trade, as a whole is doing a much better business than they were a year ago. Wash and white goods, in spite of the unfavorable weather conditions are selling freely. Conditions in the knit goods markets are very satisfactory. The large mills have tremendous orders booked ahead for spring delivery. The export demand coupled with the government calls for underwear, have cleaned out the stock of fall goods unusually early in the season.

The amount of business placed in the Fall River print cloth market last week was somewhat larger than for the last few weeks, but otherwise there was little change in

conditions. Inquiry was moderate throughout the week, and prices held fairly firm. Manufacturers showed more willingness to allow concessions than they have shown recently, and they were also more willing to trade. As usual, wide and medium width goods made up most of the trading. Buyers showed a little more willingness to trade than for over a month, but they apparently wanted to cover only immediate needs. Fine goods continued slow. The demand was poor, but the mills have not felt it yet, as they are already sold for many weeks ahead.

Cotton goods were quoted in New York last week as follows:

Print cloths, 28-inch,	
64x64s .....	4 1-4 —
28-inch, 64x60s .....	4 —
Gray goods, 39-inch,	
68x72s .....	6 3-8 —
38 1-2-inch, 64x64s .....	5 7-8 —
4-yard, 80x80s .....	7 3-8 —
Brown drills, standard	8 1-4 —
Sheetings, Sou. std. ....	8 1-4 —
3-yard, 48x48s .....	7 3-4 8
4-yard, 56x60s .....	6 1-2 6 3-4
4-yard, 48x48s .....	6 1-4 —
4-yard, 44x44s .....	6 —
5-yard, 48x48s .....	5 1-2 —
Denims, 9-ounce .....	At value —
Denims, 2-20s .....	8 —
Selkirk, 8-oz. duck .....	14 —
Oliver, extra, 8-oz. ....	14 —
Hartford, 11-oz., 40-	
duck .....	17 1-2 —
Woodberry, sail d'k. ....	17 1/2% —
Mt. Vernon, wide d'k. ....	20% —
Alexander, oz. duck. ....	11c b'sis —
Buckeye, oz. duck. ....	11c b'sis —
Ticking, 8-ounce .....	15 1-2 —
Standard prints .....	7 —
Standard gingham. ....	8 —
Dress gingham. ....	9 1-2 10 1-2
Kid finished cambrics	6 1-2 7

### Hester's Cotton Statement.

Comparisons are to actual date not to close of corresponding weeks.

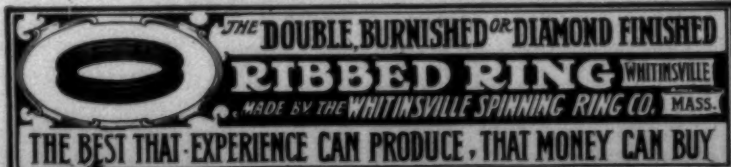
In thousands bales.	
In sight for week .....	112
In sight same 7 days last year	54
In sight for the month .....	325
In sight same date last year.	223
In sight for season .....	12,049
In sight same date last year.	15,154
Port receipts for season .....	7,311
year .....	10,685
Overland to mills in Canada for season .....	1,210
Overland same date last y'r.	1,165
Southern mill takings for season .....	3,494
Southern same date last y'r.	2,874
Interior stocks in excess of Sept 1 .....	34
Interior last year .....	430
Foreign exports for week .....	129
Foreign same 7 days last y'r.	54
Foreign for season .....	5,360
Foreign same date last year.	8,066
Northern spinners' takings and Canada for week .....	32
Northern same 7 days last year .....	33
Northern for season .....	2,828
Northern to same date last year .....	3,010

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# The Yarn Market

Philadelphia, Pa.—Inquiries were plentiful in the yarn market last week, though in many cases dealers could not get spinners to accept the prices offered and in some instances buyers could not get the deliveries they wanted. There were some fairly good sales during the week, but the total was not large. Receipts of yarn from the South were smaller than they have been for the last few weeks, and were below what the market needed.

The combed yarn situation does not show any material change. Fine yarns are hard to get for anything like quick deliveries. Some of the dealers who have no yarn in stock have been unable to get any from the South, some of the mills reporting that they are sold well into next year.

Some of the sales of two-ply combed yarn reported were as follows: 20-2 skeins, 38 to 40 cents; 30-2 skeins, 50 cents; 36-2 on cones, 54 cents; 40-2 cones and skeins, 55 to 58 cents; 50-2 combed peeler skeins, 65 to 68 cents; 60-2 combed peeler, 77 to 80 cents; 80-2 combed peeler warps, \$1.05.

Southern frame spun 14s on cones sold for 31 1-2 and 32 cents, and one dealer quoted 34 cents; 20s cones, 33 1-2 cents; 22s cones, 34 cents; 24s cones, 34 1-2 and 35 cents; 26s cones, 35 1-2 cents; 28s cones, 36 1-2 cents; 30s cones, 37 1-2 and 38 1-2 cents.

Prices on carded yarn on cones have become higher and firmer, with many dealers quoting above the market. The demand was spotty during last week, but cheap yarn which has been held by dealers has been pretty well sold off and spinners who needed business have been able to get it, and to move prices up. Spinners quotations, for the coarse numbers, were from 23 1-4 to 24 cents, basis of 10s, depending on how many orders the spinner had on his books. Quotations were higher on the finer numbers of Southern carded cones. The top prices of the week for 24s was 27 cents.

There were sales of 25,000 to 50,000 pounds made, largely for delivery to start promptly. Some of the prices at which sales were reported were as follows: 10s, 12s and 14s on the basis of 23 cents for 10s; 9s to 16s on the basis of 23 1-4 cents for 10s; 18s cones, 25 1-2 cents for spot delivery; 20s at 25 3-4 cents; 24s at 26 3-4 and 27 cents; 26s at 27 and 27 1-2 cents; 28s at 28 cents.

Prices on carded weaving yarns were a little firmer last week, though the demand was rather slow. A sale of 40,000 pounds of 44-1 warps was made at 22 3-4 cents, 50 to 300 warps of 30-2 at 33 cents for spot and prompt delivery and 32 1-2 cents for July delivery.

## Southern Two-Ply Skeins.

4s to 8s	21	—22
10s to 12s	22 1-2	—23
14s	24	—
16s	24 1-2	—25

20s	26 1-2	—27
24s	29 1-2	—30
26s	30	—
30s	32 1-2	—33
36s	40	—41
40s	43	—44
50s	56	—
60s	66	—
3-ply 8s upholstery	21	—22

## Southern Single Skeins.

4s to 8s	20 1-2	—21 1-2
10s	22 1-2	—
12s	23 1-2	—
14s	23 1-2	—
16s	24	—
20s	24 1-2	—25
22s	24 1-2	—25 1-2
26s	27	—28
30s	29	—30

## Southern Single Chain Warps.

10s to 12s	22	—22 1-2
14s	23	—
16s	24	—
20s	25	—
22s	25	—
24s	26	—26 1-2
26s	27	—27 1-2
30s	30	—30 1-2
40s	37	—38

## Southern Two-Ply Chain Warps, Etc.

8s to 10s	22	—23
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Warren Mfg. Co., pfd	...	...
Whitney Mfg. Co., S. C.	100	125
Williamston Mills, S. C.	90	...
Woodruff Cot. M., S. C.	103	...

## To the Point.

"Look here, waiter, is this peach or apple pie?" asked the patron. "Can't you tell from the taste, sir?" asked the waiter. "No, I can't," answered the customer. "Well, then," asked the waiter, "what difference does it make?"—Ex.

## Jimmy's Compliment.

"Ma," said Jimmy, "the teacher give me a fine compliment today." "Oh, did she?" said the delighted mother. "What did she say to you?" "Well, she didn't exactly say anything to me, but she told George that he was the worst boy in school, and that she liked even me better than him."—Ex.

## Why it Was Safer.

A boy visiting another boy, and as they were going to bed the little host knelt to say his prayers. "I never say my prayers when I am home," said the visitor. "That's all right," said the other boy. "You better say them here. This is a folding bed."—Ex.



## Personal Items

Lawrence Davis has become overseer of carding at the Cowpens (S. C.) Mfg. Co.

T. J. Jones of Monroe, Ga., is now night engineer at the Social Circle (Ga.) Mills.

N. F. Cannup is now fixing looms at the Chadwick-Hoskins Mill No. 5, Pineville, N. C.

T. J. Hurst of Columbus, Ga., has accepted the position of overseer of weaving at the Laurel Mill, Laurel, Miss.

A. P. McGhee has resigned as second hand in weaving at Langley, S. C., to accept a similar place at the Harmony Grove Mills, Commerce, Ga.

J. W. Toomey has resigned as master mechanic at the Fidelity Mills, Charlotte, N. C., and accepted a similar place at the Sevier Mfg. Co., Kings Mountain, N. C.

J. L. McCoy has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Franklin Mill, Greer, S. C., and will go into the grocery business at Easley, S. C.

L. L. Hurley, formerly traveling representative of the Southern Textile Bulletin, but now overseer of carding at the Louisville (Ky.) Cotton Mills, paid us a visit last week while on a ten days' vacation which he is spending in North Carolina.

J. G. Greenlee, formerly superintendent of the Millen (Ga.) Cotton Mills, but more recently engaged in grocery business in Fayetteville, N.

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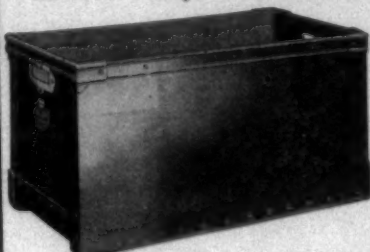
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C. has accepted position as superintendent of the Fountain Cotton Mill, Tarboro, N. C., but will continue to operate his grocery business in Fayetteville, N. C.

### Criticism by Asheville Paper.

(Continued from Page 10.)

advocates with extraordinary bitterness because they are afraid of losing the profits made by child labor; even as a dog snarls when you threaten to take away his bone. —Asheville Citizen of June 19th.

### Answer of J. M. Davis.

Editor Southern Textile Bulletin:

I notice the spasm of indignation on the editorial page of the Asheville Citizen of 19th, concerning paper read by the writer on Child Labor Legislation at the Textile Association in Asheville, N. C.

This sarcastic criticism is only a proof of my contention of misrepresentation by those who would discredit our Southern mills. The unfairness of this attack is clearly manifest when The Citizen failed to publish the paper upon which the editorial was written, and found only one paragraph to criticize.

Why was not the entire paper published which was adopted as the attitude of the Southern Textile Association towards Child Labor Legislation? Because it shows the splendid position the gentlemen of this association have assumed towards the children under their management, and it is not the purpose of our critics to allow the public to know of this manly stand.

If those interested in the city of Asheville will take a short ride out in the nearby hills they will soon find many children who would fare far better at some first-class cotton mill.

The sincerity of the many noble women engaged in working for the betterment of American children is unquestioned, but actual conditions both as to treatment of the child, environment of the Southern mill, and attitude of the management has in a large measure been misrepresented by those paid by some organization.

This extraordinary bitterness towards the mill management is both unjust and uncalled for, these gentlemen have proven by their works their interest in the welfare of their employees. We are contending for a compulsory education law for all children under 14 years of age, and question the wisdom of turning them upon the streets by law without proper facilities and provision for training.

It is not the High Priest sitting back in the cool shades of an office chair singing anthems who is bringing about better conditions for the children, but rather the men out on the firing line, next to the situation and real need of the child, who is furnishing the REAL MONEY to bring the child under the influence of environments for the better American child.

J. M. Davis.

"My," said the husband at breakfast, "that was a good sleep! I slept like a log."

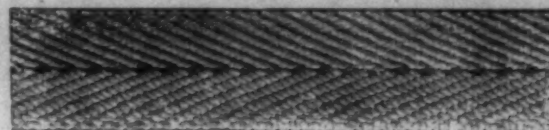
"Yes," answered the wife, "with a saw going through it."—Ex.

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WANT position as overseer of carding. Have had a number of years experience in carding. Married. Strictly sober and know how to get quality and production. Am experienced on both colored and white work. Address No. 1517.

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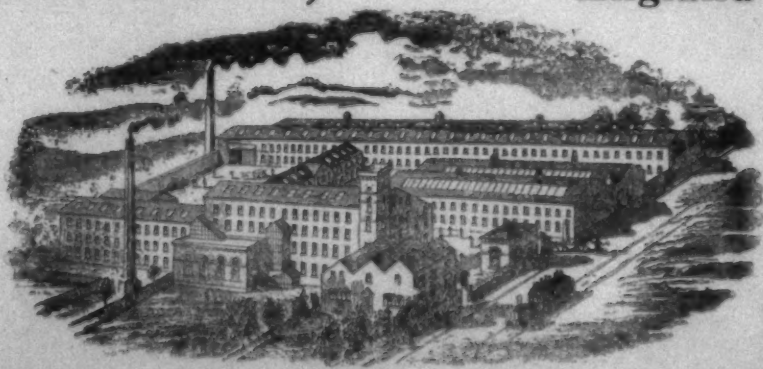
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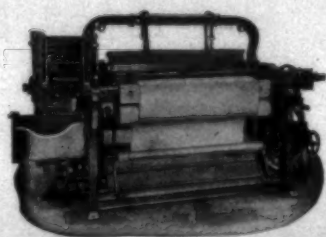
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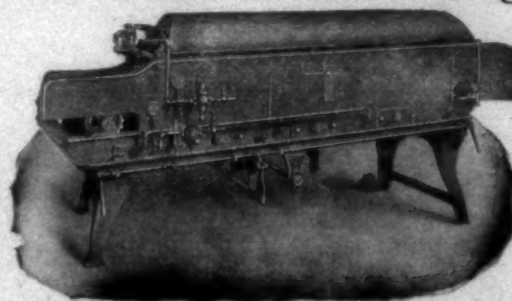
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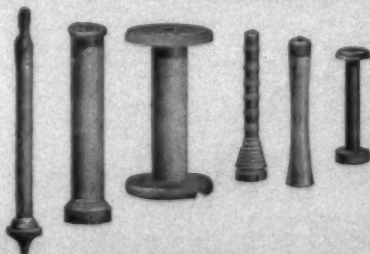
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